# PIANO DEALERS NOW HERE BY HUNDREDS

Ready for Big Convention Which Starts Tomorrow.

GATHER AT THE WILLARD

Delegates Put in Greater Part of Time After Arrival Registering and Sightseeing.

Hundreds of busy plano men filled the lobby, corridors, and rooms of the New Willard trady in anticipation of the opening of the National Association of Plano Dealers of America, which begins at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning Today is reception day, and, according to the president of the association Philip Werlein, of New Orleans, it be-gan at daylight this morning, when he

gan at daylight this morning, when he made his first call on one of the delegates and found him with his nose glued to his desk.

A happier looking lot of men have rarely been seen together. They met, slapped each other on the back, and settled flown on a comfortable divant for exchange of reminiscences. All about the big hotels groups of delegates gathered until it seemed as if they had possession of the entire building.

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No program was arranged for today other than that of registration. Little parties went off on sightseeing expeditions this afterneon, but the morning was given over entirely to jollification.

Tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock the convention will get down to business. There will be a second session at 2:30 p. m., and in the evening the annual reception and banquet will be held. Wednesday will see the close of the convention with the final business session and a reception by President Roosevelt.

#### Features of Convention.

main features of the conventio will be the election of officers and the reading of the reports of national offi-

reading of the reports of national officers. A number of subjects interesting to the delegates will be discussed. Among the speakers will be W. P. Van Wickie, Henry Dreher, J. P. Simmons, F. B. T. Hollenberg, R. T. Cassell, J. H. Williams, J. P. Byrne, Louis F. Geissler, and W. P. Dorough.

Several notable speakers will make short addresses at the banquet tomorrow night. Among these will be Secretary Leslie M. Shaw, the Hon. H. B. F. Macfarland, president of the Board of Commissioners of the District; Representative J. Adam Bede of Minnesota, H. Paul Mehlin, president of the National Piano Manufacturers' Association, and Col. E. B. Hay, who will take the place of Senator Daniel of Virginia.

#### CARL SCHURZ DEAD; END CAME QUIETLY

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His work accomplished, Schurz went to Paris, living in the French metropolis for a year as a correspondent. In that capacity he did good work, but tiring of France, he went to London as a teacher, remaining there until 1852, when he followed many of his friends to the new world, going direct to Philadelphia, where he lived for several years. He then went to Wisconsin, where he soon attained prominence among the Republicans of the State, being called on as an orator by the party on many occasions.

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Major General of Volunteers.

In 1861 he was named as United States minister to Spain, but held the office at Madrid for but a few months, returning to the United States to resign his office to enter the army. In May, 1862, he was made a brigader general of volunteers, and as such commanded a brigade at the second battle of Bull Run. He was soon afterward promoted to be a major general of volunteers, and as such commanded a division at Chancellorsville and Gettysburg. He took part in the various campaigns in Tennessee, resigning from the army.

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In the summer of the same year he was sent by President Johnson on a confidential mission into the Southern States, and his elaborate report on their condition was published by Congress. After that he acted as Washington correspondent of the New York Tribune, leaving the National Capital in 1866 to go to Detroit, Mich., where he founded and for a time edited the Detroit Post. In 1867 he left there and went to St. Louis, where he became editor of the St. Louis Westliche Post.

Senator From Missouri

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In politics he always showed great independence and this caused him to make several changes in his party affiliations. He was chalirman of the Republican national convention which met at Chicago in 1868, and was United States Senator from Missouri from 1865 to 1875. In 1872 he took part in the organization of the liberal party, and aligned himself with the supporters of Horace Greely, presiding over the Cincinnati convention, which nominted Greely. In 1876 he supported Hayes and was rewarded by being appointed Secretary of the Interfor, holding the position from 1876 to 1881. In 1881 he became editor of the New York Evening Post and held the position until 1884. In that year he became one of the leaders of the independent movement and supported Cleveland for Presucent.

During the campaign of 1896 he made a number of speeches advocating the gold standard.

IMPORTANT MEMBERS ASSOCIATION DUTY'S CALL WAS



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President Delegates Chas. E. Hughes

to Investigate Road's Disposal

of Its Coal Lands.

The cry of "fake" has been raised

IN QUEENS' CLUB MATCH

parts.

against the Baltimore and Ohio rail-

## B. & O. SALE A FAKE KILLED AND INJURED IN FRISCO QUAKE

General Greely Sends Supplemental List to War Department.

A further list of killed and injured in the earthquake and fires in San Francisco and nearby cities has been sent to the War Department by General Greely, at San Francisco. The list is supplemental to telegraphic reports of the killed and seriously injured rendered the department by General Greely, April 23 to April 29, inclusive. The list indepartment of the Baltimore and Ohio railly need came, Boers decided his duty was at home, and, leaving the Western army post about the middle of last February, he returned to this city. The young man found employment at the Balciew size middle of last February, he returned to this city. The young man found employment at the Balciew size middle of last February, he returned to this city. The young man found employment at the Balciew size in the matter of the alleged sale of its coal properties.

The charge has been formally presented to President Company, of which Congressman Lafean of Pennsylvania is the president.

Rice was in conference with President Roosevelt on the subject last week. the killed and seriously injured rendered the department by General Greely, April 23 to April 29, inclusive. The list includes all other names secured up to May 7, when it was consigned to the department through the mails:

San Francisco-Killed: Charles Deane (body presumed to be), Frank Desuelo, Frank Desuelo, Fordinand Grimm. William Hall Mrs.

presumed to be), Frank Desuelo, mitted other evidence in confirmation of his charges, which the parties to the conference decline to make public for the present.

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Died from injuries received—check Chaung, Mrs. M. Jurs, Santa Rosa; Con. | CRANE DEFEATS PENNELL

# VETERAN COMPOSITOR

Coroner Decides Cause of Sudden Death of Richard Lyles Near Aqueduct Bridge.

Death from heart disease was the cerfficate given by Coroner Nevitt today In politics he always showed great in the case of Richard Lyles, of 2121 F



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# STILLED BY LOVE

Boy Left Marine Corps to Help Aged Father.

ARRESTED FOR DESERTION

Faces Court on Eve of Marriage to Sweetheart of His Youth.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, May 14.-A contest for a Cleveland boy between the United States navy and the young man's weetheart and aged father ended in victory for the military yesterday when Frederick Boers was arrested and Ex-Deputy Beemer Dead. charged with desertion from the United States Marine Corps.

Tomorrow was the day set by Boers for his marriage to Miss Olga Thiele, and he had given verbal invitations to his friends to attend the ceremony. Instead, he will be obliged to submit to the discipline of the service.

#### Joined Marine Corps.

A year ago the lad, then in his teens. became engaged to Miss Thiele. Last fall he tired of his employment here and joined the United States Marine From the barracks at Mare

home. Last winter the boy's father, Frederick Boers, was taken ill and, beheme. Last winter the boy's father, Frederick Boers, was taken ill and, being an old man, unable to earn a living, he wrote to young Fred to come home and take care of him in his infirmity. Knowing the inexorable regulations of the service, the younger Boers was obliged to refuse, hoping that the conditions at home would improve. When, however, orly worse news of his father's need came. Boers decided his data was need came, Boers decided his duty was

#### Fate Against Him.

But fate, embodied by the police, who

### The matter has been reversed by the President to Charles E. Hughes, who investigated the New York insurance scandals, and who is representing the Government in various interstate commission investigations now pending. It is the intention to bring out the facts in the case before the interstate Commerce Commission. POISON BOTTLES EQUIPPED WITH GRUESOME WARNINGS

nade in distinctive shapes to prevent fatal mistakes being made. LONDON, May 14.—In a tennis match

One design is that of a coffin, to reat the Queen's Club today, Joshua mind the unwary that death lurks in-Crane, the American player, defeated V. Pennell, last year's runner-up in the court tennis championship contest, by the score of 6-2, 6-4, 6-3.

Indicate the unwary that death lurks inside. Others are provided with bells and patent locks, while still others are made with round bottoms so that they cannot stand upright.

James King, colored, was before the court this near the police court this nea

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## ALEXANDRIA NEWS NOTES

ALEXANDRIA, VA., MAY 14. The Carnival of Flowers, which will e opened by Alexandría Lodge of Elks, at Armory Hall tonight, promises to be one of the largest and most successful affairs of its kind ever held in this section of the State. A large number of booths have been erected, and in the grounds back of Elks' Hall, a Midway has been established. The booths are in charge of the following ladies: Fancy booth, Mrs. Uhler and Mrs. G. L. Simpson; refreshments, Mrs. Morris, Mrs. O'Sullivan and Mrs. Mushbach; supper room, Mrs. Zora Hill, Mrs. Fitzgerald, and Mrs. Basgatt, housheld, the booth of the control of the con and Mrs. Baggott; household booth, Miss Pickett; flower booth, Mrs. Dr. Jones; tobacco booth, Mrs. C. B. Marshall, grocery booth, Mrs. L. C. Barley and Mrs. George Uhler. Mrs. Sam Bendheim and Mrs. Frank Hill will conduct another fancy booth. Among the articles which will be raffled at the carnival are an automobile, a motor boat and a bi-

Hon. Park Agnew has received a telegram announcing the death, at Winchester, yesterday, of James H. Beemer, who for a number of years was his chief deputy when he was collector of internal revenue in this city. Mr. Beemer was

#### Churches Have Anti-Saloon Services.

Yesterday was anti-saloon day in Alexandria. In the Baptist and the three Methodist churches sermons in favor of the abolition of the saloon in Alexandria was discussed at length. At Island, Cal., letters came to his sweet-heart in Cleveland. They told that he meeting was held at the First Baptist heart in Cleveland. They told that he was still loyal to her and that they should be married when his term of service should be over.

Then trouble came to the Boers of the afternoon a large mass meeting was held at the First Baptist Church, at which Rev. George W. Young, D. D.; Rev. J. W. West, and Rev. O. J. Ryder, of Richmond, and others delivered addresses.

At the Methodist Episcopal Churc

ing.

At the First Baptist Church Rev. R. S. Lawrenson occupied the pulpit in the morning and Rev. O. J. Ryder in the evening.

The pulpit of the Second Presbyterian Church was occupied by Rev. W. H. Stewart.

#### Funeral of Miss Elsie Jordan.

The body of Miss Elsie Jordon, daughter of W. W. Jordon, of Silver Springs, Md., was brought to this city yesterday afternoon and the interment wa made in the Union Cemetery.

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#### Funeral of Miss Jane E. Grubb.

The funeral of Miss Jane E. Grubb took place from Sharon Chapel yesterexhibition at Westminster an interesting day afternoon. The Rev. W. J. Morton, exhibit is the collection of poison bottles rector of Christ Protestant Episcopal Church, conducted the services.

#### Fined \$10 for Assault.

James King, colored, was before Justice Caton in the police court this morn-Beach and Garvey on the charge of as-

# saulting and beating Sarah Carter. He

was fined \$10. Six Convicted of Disorderly Conduct. Harvey Minor, Lee Monroe, Dan Jones Clarence Jones, James Harris, and Louisa Bird, all colored, were arrested by Policemen Bell and Jones yesterday on the charge of disorderly conduct. They were fined \$2 each in the police court this morning. Exceeded Speed Limit.

Louis Smith and John Johnson, both olored, were fined \$2.50 each this morning for riding their bicycles at an unawful rate of speed through th The men were arrested by Policeman

#### ROOSEVELT THE GUEST OF SOLDIERS AND SAILORS

President Roosevelt slipped away from he White House last night, and accompanied only by his military aid, Lieu tenant Sheridan, attended the Sunday night meeting at the Soldiers, Sailors and Marines' Home, 317.C street north-west. The President told some of his best stories of the Cuban campaign, and was then elected an honorary memb the club. He accepted and made a short speech. The President joined in the songs which were sung, and before he left shook hands with every member

#### SURGEON MILLER DIES IN MIDWAY ISLANDS

Word has been received at the Navy Department that Assistant Surgeon James Miller, jr., U. S. N., died on May 13, 1996, in the Midway Islands. We Extend Credit at Cash Prices



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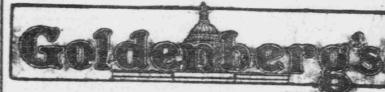
#### Lansburgh Furniture Company

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## Great Clothing Sale For Men, Youths and Boys Now in Progress

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fashioned with the utmost care. Made of sheer quality white India linons and lawns-elaborately trimmed with lace vokes and blouses of embroidery motifs; some with insertion of lace and fine tucks.

Some have handsome embroidery panel vests, trimmed down on either side with embroidery insertion and tucks. Both long and short sleeve styles. Others are handsome Embroidery Blouse Waists, made with tucked yoke. Fronts of all-over English eyelet embroidery; others stripped with insertions of eyelet embroidery and fine German Vai, lace insertions. Open down the front or button down the back. All sizes up to 44.

## 25c Imported Swiss At Half Price A great crowd came for these beautiful Imported White

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